

## SHOOTING DOWN A BURGLAR

**WHO FIRST, HOWEVER, SHOOTS TWO  
JERSEY CITY POLICEMEN.**

"That isn't a dog, is it?" asked Policeman Daniel Donovan of Policeman Charles Reynolds, as they were passing William Seely's liquor store, in Grove and Fourteenth streets, yesterday morning.

"No," said Reynolds. "Seely doesn't keep a dog."

"Then it's a burglar," said Donovan.

It was agreed that Donovan should go into the yard in the rear, to cut off retreat. He opened the side hall door, which was not locked, and entered. At the end of the hall he discovered a man, on a sofa, bolted into the yard, and, running to the fence, attempted to scale it. Donovan pursued him and prevented him from carrying out his design. The two men then

The burglar, perceiving that his antagonist was too powerful for him, drew a revolver, and fired twice, as rapidly as possible. The second shot struck Donovan on the top of the head, inflicting a mortal wound, from which the blood flowed over his face in a blinding stream. The burglar then struck him on the head three blows with a glimny that rendered him unconscious. He then turned at Reynolds as this juncture and overpowered the burglar with the use of his club, and then he turned back to the spot where the hall into the street, while he begged that they would not beat him and promised to accompany him to the police station. On reaching the sidewalk, however, he suddenly turned to his right arm from Reynolds's grasp and fired a bullet into the chest of Reynolds. The bullet went through the chest of Reynolds, and he fell back away from Donovan and started to run down the street. Donovan and the burglar turned with his fall, and the burglar, broken with his fall, fell in a heap. Donovan shot him through the chest.

He fell in a heap on the sidewalk. Assistance was summoned, and he was taken to the Second Precinct station house. There the

He had lived at 974 First avenue, New York, said that he was 32 years old. He refused to give his name, but said that he was a priest because he believed he was dying. He was a friend of Brandy and Doyle's. He was sent for, and administered the last rites of the church to Brown. The prisoner, however, refused to be taken to St. Vincent's Hospital, where Dr. Gray removed the bullet, which had pierced his left lung. The wound is not serious, but it is dangerous. Brown and his wife were sent to their homes. Reynolds said that late last night was in a very low condition at the upper part of his neck. Donovan's injuries were principally inflicted by the simultaneous blows of the two men, and although he said his skull is not fractured.

In conversation with Chief Murphy yesterday, it was learned that Brandy and Doyle had been in this country twelve years ago. He had lived for six years in Brooklyn, where he worked for a living, and then he had come to New York for six years for the purpose of committing a bur-

time, and after looking around for a way City he had decided to break into Seelye's store. He said he believed he was going to die, but he did not care to live. When told that the policemen were still alive he said he was sorry he had not killed them, as he would have done if he had had the chance. He declared that he had no accomplices. The policemen say they thought Brown had been shot by the police, but he said they were wrong. They did not suppose he was armed when they brought him out to the street.

After being taken to the hospital to visit to the prisoner yesterday afternoon. After the departure of the priest the prisoner became more talkative and said that he was a native of New York. His name was Frederick Fritzier, and that he had lived at 973 First avenue for several months. In this condition last night was much better than he had been in the last few days. The hospital physician, has some hopes of his recovery.

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From this city, on a warrant issued by Police Justice Smith, charging her with having swindled Edward Kauffman of 47 Second avenue out of \$250. When taken into custody she consented to accompanying the detectives to this city.

Upon reaching the Erie Railroad depot in Jersey City she sat down on the platform and surprised the detectives by her coolness and composure with them any further. The detectives having no requisition took the prisoner to Police Headquarters in that city, where she was detained until the necessary papers can be procured.

**Obituary.**

Mrs. Lawton, wife of Charles E. Lawton, broker, of 110 West Fortieth street, New York city, died suddenly of heart disease early last evening in the

**Into the River and Out.**

James Bolan, a hatter of 32 Sussex avenue, Newark, sprang off into the river from the Fulton ferryboat Hamilton when it was about fifty feet from the Brooklyn sign at a dock last evening. John Kruse, a 25-year-old hatter, who was on the ferryboat, saw Bolan fall and held him until the ferryboat reached the other side. He said he was arrested when the ferryboat reached the city and was taken to the Street Hospital. He said he accidentally fell overboard.

**Cattle Plunged in Egypt.**

ALEXANDRIA, July 10.—According to advices

From Hebert the cattle plague has ended with the death of all the cattle in that district. The cotton worm is now doing great damage there.

**The Signal Office Prediction.**

Slightly warmer, fair weather, winds shifting to west and south, slight rain followed by fairer, warmer.

**SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.**

Nancy Peel (colored), 100 years old, died in Washington last Saturday.

Thomas P. Hall, Postmaster at Omaha, has been suspended for inefficiency, and Charles K. Conant appointed in his place.

The British steamer St. Bonans, Capt. Campbell, from

The London Post says M. de Lessens has made a satisfactory arrangement with the British Government in the matter of the Suez Canal.

The residence of A. B. French at West Ansonia, Conn., was entered on Sunday night by burglars, who chloroformed Mr. French and stole \$350.

F. C. Thompson, a brakeman on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg Railroad, was killed at Norwood yesterday morning while coupling cars.

Mr. Nordheimer, President of the Federal Bank of Toronto, has been elected to a writ in the Federal Court for \$100,000 damages for libel.

The farm house of Dayton Mills, five miles from Gales town, Md., was struck by lightning on Sunday and burned down. Mills' son, aged 5, was killed.

Robert L. Sherman, a farmer living near Watertown, yesterday shot himself yesterday, while laboring under mental distress. He was a wealthy man, and formerly Secretary and Treasurer of the Jefferson County Savings Bank. He will probably die.

The grand jury at Pittsburgh has returned two indictments against Archibald H. Rowand, clerk of the County Court, charging him with misdemeanor in office. The indictments contain 69 counts alleging that fines were collected when none had been imposed, and that Rowand failed to account for large sums collected.

The application of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company for an injunction to restrain the Pennsylvania Schuylkill Valley Railroad Company from laying tracks on Lafayette street, Norristown, Pa., ever land owned by the former company, was refused yesterday. An injunction until a bond shall be given to secure damages to the Philadelphia and Reading Company was granted.